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GRADE 9 & 10 Updated Board Exam Policy as per CBSE Guidelines

Dear Parents,

We would like to inform you that as per the recent notification by the Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE), a two-Board exam policy will be implemented for Grade 10 students from the upcoming academic session 2026.

This change aims to reduce academic pressure, ensure continuous learning, and provide students with more than one opportunity to showcase their understanding.

Important Points:

- 1)Two Board Exams Annually: Students can appear for Class X Board Exams up to two times a year: a main examination and an optional improvement examination.
- 2) Mandatory First Exam: All students must appear in the first Board examination.
- 3) Improvement Opportunity: Students can improve their performance in up to three subjects (Science, Math, Social Science, Languages) in the second examination.
- 4) Eligibility for Second Exam: The second exam is primarily for improvement or for students with compartment results from the first exam.
- 5) Important Condition: Students who miss 3 or more subjects in the first exam will not be allowed to appear in the second exam and will be placed in the "Essential Repeat" category.
- 6) Schedule: The main exam will be in mid-February, and the second exam in May.
- 7) Syllabus: Both examinations will be based on the full syllabus.
- 8) Result Declaration: First exam results in April, second exam results in June.
- 9) Final Document: The final passing document and merit certificate will be issued only after the second examination results.
- 10) Class XI Admission: Provisional admission to Class XI is allowed for students awaiting second exam results.

Should you have any queries, please feel free to reach out to the Grade Tutor.

Warm regards

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